

Revised: July 3, 2019

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
SECOND MEETING  
of the  
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE**

**July 8-9, 2019  
Mesalands Community College  
Tucumcari**

**Monday, July 8**

- 10:00 a.m.           **Call to Order/Introductions**  
—Representative Debra M. Sariñana, Chair
- 10:10 a.m.       (1)    **Mesalands Community College Welcome and Overview**  
                  **A. Integrated Rural Energy Curriculum**  
                  **B. Digital Business Bootcamp**  
—Dr. John Groesbeck, President, Mesalands Community College (MCC)
- 11:15 a.m.       (2)    **North American Wind Research and Training Center (NAWRTC)**  
—Dr. John Groesbeck, President, MCC  
—Jim Morgan, Director, NAWRTC, MCC  
—Andy Swapp, Wind Energy Technology Instructor, MCC
- 12:00 noon           **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m.       (3)    **Department of Information Technology (DoIT) Project Dashboard Update and Discussion of Plans**  
—Vincent Martinez, Secretary, DoIT
- 2:00 p.m.       (4)    **SunZia Southwest Transmission Project and Pattern Energy Group Inc.: Transmission and Renewable Energy**  
—John Ryan, Executive Director, SunZia Southwest Transmission Project
- 2:45 p.m.       (5)    **Leveraging Broadband in Eastern New Mexico**  
—Vince Tyson, Chief Operating Officer, Plateau, Eastern New Mexico Region
- 3:30 p.m.           **Tour: Grady Wind Farm, Pattern Energy Group Inc.**  
—Adam Renz, Business Development Manager, Pattern Development

**Tuesday, July 9**

- 9:00 a.m.       (6)    **Electric Vehicles and Oil Demand**  
—James Peach, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus, Economics, Applied Statistics and International Business Department, New Mexico State University

- 10:00 a.m. (7) [Using Technology in Agriculture Research to Discover New Scientific Knowledge](#)  
—Leonard Lauriault, Superintendent and Forage Crop Management  
Scientist, Agricultural Science Center at Tucumcari, New Mexico  
State University
- 11:00 a.m. (8) [Creating Technical Enterprises to Revitalize Agricultural Communities](#)  
—Robert G. Hockaday, Engineer and Inventor, Tucumcari Bio-Energy
- 12:00 noon **Adjourn**